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THE LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CATTLE QUIET AT PRICES A SHADE EASIER THAN THOSE OF FRIDAY.

Hogs Fairly Active and About Five Cents Lower-Sheep Steady-Condition of Other Markets.

UNION STOCKYARDS, INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 350; shipments, 100.

There has been a good run of cattle this week, the receipts being nearly 2,700 larger than last week, only a little smaller than the same week

Good to choice steers, 1,250 lbs and upa year ago and almost 1,700 larger than the corresponding week two years ago. The receipts thus far this year are a little over 3,000 larger than the same time last year, and the receipts this far this month are nearly 1,500 larger than the same period a year ago. The market this week opened with a weaker tendency, which was the result of liberal receipts and lower prices elsewhere. The first half of the week prices of steers suffered a decline of nearly 10@15c in the average compared with the close of last week, and female butcher cattle also show some change. Later in the week, however, with a material improvement in the demand from outside sources the market began to recover and the early loss in prices was soon regained. There was a continued active demand from outside sources tendency has been stronger this week, but the and with the requirements of local dealers about | material improvement has been slight, closing the normal the market at the extreme close of the week was very strong, and so far as the fat steers were concerned 10@15c higher than the close of last week. Good female butcher cattle is steady and reliable. Choice heavy hogs are did not show further improvement, and the worth \$6.55, and the best light weights are quoted market for unfinished stock, that is, a class hardly fat enough for butchers, was rather slow and weak. There has been a steady demand for best feeding cattle throughout the week, and steady to firm prices have been realized, but common stockers moved rather slowly, and it was difficult to keep prices in their former posi-tion. The highest sales this week were \$5.90 for steers, \$4.90 for heifers, \$4.25 for cows, \$4.25 for bulls and \$7.25 for calves. The receipts to-day were fully as large as the average at this time in the week, but of course there was not a complete variety represented. The market felt the loss of the good shipping demand that has characterized the trade for several days, and local buyers were rather inclined to want their supplies at lower prices. Of course salesmen hardly expected any better market to-day than they usually have on Saturday, and therefore they were inclined to consider all bids. The trading was a little quiet, but finally most of the offerings found an outlet at just a shade easier prices than yesterday. Representative sales indicate the class of stock on the market.

	Good to choice steers, 1,350 lbs. and up-	
	ward \$5.50@	6.00
	Plain fat-steers, 1,350 lbs and upward., 5,000	5.50
	Good to choice 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers 5.00@	5.50
	Plain fat 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers 4.250	5.00
	Good to choice 900 to 1,150-1b steers 4.25@	4 75
	Plain fat 900 to 1,150-lb steers 3,75@	4.25
ú	Choice feeding steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., 4.25@	4.50
7	Good feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lbs 3.75@	4 95
	Medium feeding steers, 800 to 900 lbs 3.25@	2.50
	Common to good stockers 3.00@	4.25
	Good to choice helfers 3.60@	4.50
	Fair to medium heifers 3.25@	2 50
	Common light heifers 2.25@	3.00
	Good to choice cows 3 2500	4.00
	Fair to medium cows 2.750	3.25
	Canners and cutters	2.75
	Prime to fancy export bulls 3 7500	4.00
	Good to choice butcher bulls 3.2500	3.50
	Common to fair bulls 2.75@	3.15
	Veal calves 6.000	7.25
	Heavy calves	6 00
	Good to choice cows and calves 35 00%	50.60
	Common to medium cows and calves. 20.00@	30.00
	-Representative Sales-Steers	
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Good to choice but Common to fair bul	cher l	bulls	3.256	@ 3.50 @ 3.15
Veal calves			4 000	(A) 6 (A)
Good to choice cow	s and	calves	35, 004	250.00
	tative	Sales-Stee		@30.00
No. Av.	Pr.	No.	Av	Pr.
141248	\$5,00	4 Feeders	975	\$4,00
2	4.75	3 Feeders	926	3.50
2 990	4.95	9 Stockers.	905	3.25
51002	4.10	a Stockers.	**** 800	3.15
	-Hei	fers		
No. Av. 1020	34.50	2	590	\$3.60
1	4.25	5	740	3.60
4		ws	140	3.50
***			Av	200
No. Av. 11180	\$4.00	1 Canner	AV.	Pr.
2	3.90	1 Canner	1060	2.50
2 910	3.50	3 Canners.	986	2.35
11140	3.50	1 Canner	870	2.35
	-Cal	ves.—		
No. Av. 2	Pr.	No.	Av	Pr.
2 165	\$6.75	1	130	\$6.00
1 140	6.73	23 Herefords	S 408	5.25
3 133				5.00
Hogs-Receipts,	horre	saipments.	3,000.	Com-

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	No. Av. Pr. No. Av. Pr. 2
	3
	crease of little less than 15,000 compared with last week and a decrease of over 10,000 com- pared with the same week a year ago and an increase of over 2,000 compared with the corre-
	sponding week two years ago. Thus far this year the receipts are nearly 214,000 smaller than the same period last year, and the receipts thus far this month are almost 3,100 larger than the
	same time a year ago. For the week ending yes-
N. X	of 15.719, against 20,602 the preceding week and 45,482 the week a year ago. During the same period the shipments were 21,761, against 7,025 the preceding week and 6,265 the corresponding
	week a year ago. The market this week has been quite satisfactory to the selling side. There was some fluctuation in prices at the beginning of the week, and sales varied from steady to 5
	the market braced up some and later a gain of 5
E.	close of the week there was a slight reaction in values, but the average was right around 5c higher than the close of last week. A feature of the market this week has been the excellent
	shipping demand. Shippers have been very much in evidence at all times, and in the aggre- gate their purchases this week are the largest since the week ending June 17, 1898. Local pack-
	pay higher prices, but they did not have their usual influence in the market on account of the
	requirements from other sources. The highest price obtained this week was \$6.65, and the low- est top price \$6.45. The quality of the current offerings has been very satisfactory and in some
	cases excellent. The receipts to-day were 2,500 smaller than a week ago and barely half as large as a year ago, but, including hold-overs, the supply was good, being around 9,000. The
	market opened with practically all buyers repre- sented, but the demand was not quite as urger: as vesterday morning and it took a little more
	time to establish a basis for operations. Finally, however, the supply was changing hands slowly, and subsequently the market became rather active. It seemed that buyers were favoring the
	good-weight hogs, and, for the most part, they sold at nearly yesterday's prices, but lighter grades, in most cases, were reported 5c lower, and occasionally it was believed that prices were
	mand, it appears, was very well supplied out of
	tions favored a good clearance. Sales ranged from \$6 to \$6.52\\(\frac{1}{2}\), and the bulk of the supply sold at \$5.10\(\text{G}6.30\). Quotations:
	Good to choice medium to heavy\$6.20@6.52%

	11.0	. 11	CILL	uay	40	U	J.
1½ 63 83	Inferior to Roughs ar	best	pigs			5.00@ 5.50@	
83		-Re	presenta	tive Sal	es		
it.	No. Av.	Dk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Dic.	Pr
	95266	160	\$6.52%	39	233	120	\$6.20
it.	87307	40	6.521/2	48	216	120	6.20
	46268		6.50	56	218		6.2
29	46244		6.45	25	239	120	6.2
14	23245		6.45	123	167		6.13
es ld	73250	**	6.45	89	176		6.13

Sheep—Receipts, 200; shipments, 200. The receipts of sheep and lambs this week have been considerably above the average, showing an increase of nearly 2,800 over last week, 700 over the same week a year ago and 2,000 over the corresponding week two years ago. Thus far this year the receipts are 23,000 smaller than the same time last year, and there is very little difference in the receipts thus far this month compared with the same time a year ago. With the supplies just about large enough to meet the requirements of all buyers, there has been a good, active market throughout the week and rather firm prices have been maintained for all fat Occasionally sales were a shade higher, but in nearly all cases the improvement was due

Good to choice lambs Bucks, per 160 lbs...... 2.00@2.50 export of gold to Europe, but \$1,000,000

Transactions at the Interstate Yards. ligations there for wheat, and which is INTERSTATE STOCKYARDS, INDIANAPO-LIS, Dec. 6.-Cattle-Receipts light; shipments given up large sums of gold also for shipnone. The cattle market has made some little progress this week from the standpoint of the probable that further calls may be made selling interests as far as cattle of weight, quality and fat are concerned. Not much change believed to have been evaded only by a has occurred in the butcher market. Prices are large use of bankers' credit, by selling of considered steady at figures current at this time | bills of exchange to be covered by purlast week. The demand for such is fair from chases later. A short interest in sterling local dealers, but the outlet for the common, exchange of many millions of dellars is

i	Good to choice steers, 1,350 lbs and up-	
ı	ward\$5.50@	6.00
ı	Plain fat steers, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs 5.00@	5.75
	Good to choice steers, 900 to 1,150 lbs 4.75@	5.25
	Plain fat steers, 900 to 1,150 lbs 4.25@	
B	Choice feeding cattle, 900 to 1,100 lbs 4.75@	5.00
	Good feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lbs 4,500	
ì	Medium feeding steers, 800 to 900 lbs 4.006	
î	Common to good stockers3.000	
9	Good to choice heifers 4.000	
	Fair to medium heifers 3.25@	
	Common to light heifers 2.250	
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	Good to choice cows 3.75@	
i	Fair to medium cows 3.00@	
ì	Canners and cutters 1.00@	
	Prime to fancy bulls 4.00@	4.20
١	Good to choice butcher bulls 3.50@	
	Common to fair bulls 3.90@	
1	Veal calves 5.00@	7.25
ı	Good to choice cows and calves 30.00@	
	Common to medium cows and calves20.00@	30.00
ĺ	Hogs-Receipts small: shipments none	The

at \$6.20. All offered sold promptly. The market closed quiet and steady at quotations:

Н	Common to choice heavies\$6.40@6
ш	Common to choice mediums 6.20@6
3	Common to choice light weights 6.00@6
3	Light and heavy mixed 6.10@6
1	Light pigs and skips 4.00@6
3	Sheep-Receipts none; shipments none. Prin
9	stock is 25c higher than at this time last wee
8	and all others are steady. The market is in fa
a	shape, with a good demand. Quotations:
4	
а	Good to choice lambs\$4.40@5
4	Common to medium lambs 3.60@4
а	Good to choice sheep 2.25@3
2	Common to medium sheep 2.25@3
Я	Stockers and feeding sheep 2.00@3
я	Bucks, per 100 lbs 2.00@2
25	

Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6 .- Beeves-Receipts, only 5. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Beeves—Receipts, only 5.

No sales reported. Dressed beef steady. City dressed native sides, 7½@11½c; Texas beef, 6@7½c. Cables last received quoted American steers at 12½@14c, dressed weight, and refrigerator beef at 11½@11¾c per lb. Exports, 1,403 beeves, 2,521 sheep, 6,700 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 110. There was no trade of much importance; two cars of Western calves unsold. City dressed yeals, 11@14c per lb. unsold. City dressed veals, 11@14c per lb.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,595. Sheep firm,
with good export demand; lambs steady, and about three cars of stock unsold. Sheep sold at \$2.50@4 per 100 lbs, about a car for export at \$4.12\frac{1}{2}; lambs at \$5@5.75, a few for export at \$6; dressed muttons, 5\frac{1}{2}@7c per lb; dressed lambs,

Hogs-Receipts, 20,856. The market was steady. A few Pennsylvania hogs sold at \$6.70 per 100 lbs. CHICAGO, Dec. 6 .- Cattle-Receipts, 300. The market was nominal. Good to prime steers, \$5.80 @7.25; poor to medium, \$3@5.70; stockers and feeders, \$2@4.75; cows, \$1.40@4.60; heifers, \$2@5; canners, \$1.40@2.40; bulls, \$2@4.75; calves, \$3.50@6.75; Texas fed steers, \$3@4.75. Hogs-Receipts to-day, 30,000; to-morrow, 45,000; Hogs—Receipts to-day, 30,000; to-morrow, 45,000; left over, 7,000. The market was 16c lower. Mixed and butchers', \$5.90@6.35; good to choice heavy, \$6.35@6.62½; rough heavy, \$5.90@6.25; light, \$5.75@6.10; bulk of sales, \$6.15@6.25. Sheep—Receipts, 1.500. Sheep and lambs steady. Good to choice wethers, \$3.75@4.25; fair to choice mixed, \$2.50@3.75; Western sheep, \$3.75@1.25 3.85; native lambs, \$3.50@5.50; Western lambs,

Official yesterday: Receipts—Cattle, 6,442; hogs, 30,169; sheep, 6,183. Shipments—Cattle, 4,307; hogs, 3,015; sheep, 4.350. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200. The market was unchanged. Choice export and dressed beef steers, \$5.35@6.25; fair to good, \$3.25 65.30; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4; Western fed steers, \$3.15@5.40; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.50@4.35; Texas cows, \$2.10@3; native cows, \$1.75@4.35; native heifers, \$2.50@4.25; canners, \$1@2.50; bulls, 12.15@4.25; calves, \$2@6. Receipts for the week, 49.700 cattle and 3.500 calves.

Hogs—Receipts, 5.000. The market was steady to 10c lower. Top, \$6.27½; bulk of sales, \$6.10@6.22½; heavy, \$6.25@6.27½; mixed packers, \$6.07½@6.22½; light, \$6@6.12½; Yorkers, \$6.10@6.12½; pigs, \$5@6. Receipts for the week, 44.000.

Sheep-Fieceipts, 400. Native lambs, \$4@6.25; Western lambs, \$3.25@5.15; fed ewes, \$3@3.75; native wethers, \$3.10@4.10; Western wethers, \$3 @3.90; stockers and feeders, \$2@3.25. Receipts ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,800, including 1,500 Texans. The market was steady. Native shipping and export steers, \$4.75@7, the top being for strictly fancy 1,200 to 1,700 lb stock; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4@5.50; steers under 1,000 lbs, \$3.75@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.50; cows and helfers, \$2.25@5.25; canners, \$1.50@2.50; bulls, \$3.25@4.25; calvee, \$4@7; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.70@4.30; cows and helfers,

Hogs-Receipts, 3,000. The market was 5c lower. Pigs and lights, \$5.90@6.10; packers, \$6.10@ 6.25; butchers', \$6.15@6.25. Sheep-Receipts none. The market was dull and nominal. Native muttons, \$3.25@4; culls and bucks, \$2@4; lambs, \$4@5.90; stockers, \$1.50@3. EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 125; the market was slow. Veals—Receipts, 200; the market was steady. Tops, \$8.25@8.75; common to good, \$5@8. Hogs-Receipts, 16,200; the market was fairly Hogs-Receipts, 16,200; the market was fairly active, 10@20c lower. Heavy, \$6,40@6.55; mixed, \$6.20@6.40; Yorkers and pigs. \$6.20@6.40; mostly \$6.25; roughs, \$5.25@6; stags, \$4.50@5. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 13,000; the market was strong. Top lambs, \$5.40@5.80; culls to good, \$4.25@5.25; yearlings, \$4.94.25; ewes, \$3.50@4; sheep, top, mixed, \$3.40@3.60; culls to good, \$1.75@3.35. OMAHA, Dec. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; the market was steady. Native steers, \$3.5064.50; cows and heifers, \$3.64; Western steers, \$3.256 4.90: Texans, \$2.50@4.40; calves, \$3.50@6. Hogs-Receipts, 1.000; the market was 5@10c lower. Heavy, \$6.15@6.25; light, \$6.10@6.20; pigs, \$5@6; bulk of sales, \$5.15@6.20. Sheep-Receipts, 2,000; the market was steady. Yearlings, \$3.60@4; wethers, \$3.20@3.65; ewes, \$2.75 @3.40; common and stockers, \$1.50@3.30; lambs, \$4 @4.85.

EAST LIBERTY, Dec. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; the market was steady at Monday's closing Hogs-Receipts, 5,000. Heavy, \$6.55; medium,

 New Jersey Central
 4,300
 154¼
 154¾

 New York Central
 2,700
 71
 70%

 Norfolk & Western
 2,700
 71
 70%

 Norfolk & Western pref.
 2,800
 29¼
 29

 Pennsylvania
 132,500
 156¼
 155¾

 Reading
 9,600
 58%
 58

 Reading
 34
 34
 34

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 \$6.40@6.45; Yorkers and pigs, \$6.40. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600 on sale; sheep selling \$3.85 down; lambs, \$5.40 down. LOUISVILLE, Dec. 6 .- Cattle steady. Choice to prime shipping steers, \$5.05.25; medium to good shipping steers, \$4.75.05; choice butcher steers, \$4.25.04.50; choice veals, \$6.25.07. Hogs-Best heavy, \$6.45; roughs, \$5.25@5.35. Sheep and Lambs-Best sheep, \$2.75@3; extra lambs, \$4.50@4 75. St. L. & San Fran. 2d.... 200 St. L. Southwestern pref. 200 Sheep steady at \$1.50@3.25. Lambs steady at St. L. \$3.50@5.25.

WEEK IN STOCKS

200 221% 220

Canada Southern 500 46

Chi. Rock Island & Pac. Chi. Terminal & Trans.

Chi. Gt. West. A pref.... Chi. Gt. West. A pref....

Chi., Ter. & Trans. pref ..

Great Northern pref

Hocking Valley 1,100 99

Hocking Valley pref. 500 9414

Illinois Central 1,600 143

Iowa Central 200 39

Iowa Central pref......

Chicago & Alton..... 300 331/4 33

Chicago & Alton pref.....

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Chi., Ind. & Louis......

Chi., Ind. & Louis. pref.

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STATEMENT OF THE ASSOCIATED BANKS OF THE CITY OF NEW MONETARY CONDITIONS OPERATE TO YORK FOR THE WEEK ENDING DEC. 6. REPRESS SPECULATION.

The New York Financier will to-day publish the following table, showing totals and the percentage of reserve of the associated banks of New York city: Loans | Specie | Legals | Deposits | Circul'n | P.C. Prospects of Imminent Foreign De

E		DANAS	Loans	Specie	Legats	Debistra	THE PERSON NAMED IN	
1	Prospects of Imminent Foreign De-	Bank of New York, N. B. A	\$16,998,000	\$2,650,000	\$1,366,000	\$15,459,000	\$1,183,000	
1		Manhattan Company		4,992,000		23,016,000	********	21.1
1	mand on New York Gold-Domestic	Merchants' National	11,887,100	2,150,600	1,236,500	13,332,800	*******	25.3
Ŧ	Situation Also Is Bad.	Mechanics' National	13,264,000	2,098,000		13,391,000		25.1
1		America		2,541,700	2,761,200	21,099,400	*******	25.1
1		Phenix National	4,929,000	1,020,000	253,000	4,832,000	47,700	26.3
1		National City		23,173,600	5,510,100	111,393,500	5,481,200	25.7
1		Chemical National	24 841 500	4,223,600	2,094,600	23,866,000	*******	21.8
ī	NEW YORK, Dec. 6The dealings in	Merchants' Exchange National	5,040,200	829,500	541,500	5,331,700	234,400	25.7
1		Gallatin National	8,033,300	787,600	776,700	5,946,200	992,700	26.2
1	stocks to-day reflected no change from the	National Butchers' and Drovers'	1,649,100	421,900	48,400	2,076,600	46,800	22.5
1	recently prevailing doubt and hesitation of	Mechanics' and Traders'	3,589,000	542,000	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	4,020,000	********	22.4
1	the speculative community. Professional	Greenwich	1,223,000	130,600	The same and the s	1,119,200	********	25.7
1		Leather Manufacturers' National		1,194,300	142,700	4,900,600	463,200	27.2
1	traders early were indisposed to leave con-	Seventh National	6,520,700	1,357,900	237,200	6,047,200	535,000	26.3
1	tracts open, even over Sunday. Selling	American Exchange National	29,855,000	4,167,000	CALL THE MAN AND THE RESIDENCE	23,433,000	5,000,000	25.9
1	during the first hour was followed by re-	National Bank of Commerce		9,333,300	4,461,100	54,054,400	9,934,500	25.3
1	[2] 6일 1일 전에 가는 이번 경기에 가는 아니라 아이를 받아 들어가는 것이 되었다. 그런 사람들은 그는 그는 그를 받는 것이다. 그는 그를 받는 것이다.	National Broadway		1,391,000	164,400	6,025,000	498,000	25.8
1	buying after the bank statement appeared,	Mercantile National		2,463,500	1,223,400	13,627,300	985,900	27.0
1	the weakness of the showing having been	Pacific	3,066,500	398,600	498,900	3,840,300		23.3
1	so well discounted that its publication in-	Chatham National	5,662,200	703,200	745,400	5,595,000	49,500	25.9
1		People's	2,055,900	298,700	And the state of the state of the	2,750,100	********	22.1
1	duced no outside selling. It is reported	Nat'l Bank of North America.s.	16,162,100	1.946,400	4 0000 0000	13,355,800	1,421,300	24.6
1	that some large sums of cash are going to	Hanover National		8,489,700	5,725,400	63,232,500	2,592,100	26.7
1	near-by cities for use as change in holiday	Irving National		547,700	565,400	4,319,000	242,600	25.7
1		National Citizens'	5,637,600	1,256,800	402,500	6,375,800	640,000	26.0
1	business. It is expected that the heavy	Nassau	2,493,000	405,100	304,000	3,001,900	*******	23.6
1	customs collections by the government will	Market and Fulton National	6,196,700	888,200	2224.022	6,320,300	50,000	
н	continue for another week on account of	National Shoe and Leather		1,120,800	250,600	5,464,400	49,700	25.1
И		Corn Exchange		3,748,000	The second second	27,627,000		25.7
1	the large importations for the holiday	Oriental	4 0000 0000	217,600	424,200	1,915,500	*******	33.5
И	trade. The small loan increase by the	Importers' and Traders' Nat'l		4,005,000	W 0400 600	20,015,000	44,900	26.2
1	banks was not unexpected and it was even	National Park	48,056,000	14,312,000		59,161,000	1,999,000	30.0
		East River National		185,800	203,000	1,327,900	50,000	29.3
1	feared that a considerably greater ex-	Fourth National		3,620,700	2,183,100	21,729,700	50,000	26.7
4	pansion had occurred in that item, as sev-	Central National		2,430,000	755,000	11,703,000	935,000	27.2
ı	eral large transactions are known to have	Second National		1,527,000		10,345,000	280,000	26.1
.!	been made in the loan market. The foreign	First National		15,499,300		68,627,900	7,584,700	26.7
3	houses are now the important factors in	New York National Exchange		699,000	The second control of	5,180,200	492,900	22.7
4	the loan market and it is believed that the	Bowery	2,612,000	372,000		3,028,000	*******	21.8
1	resources for these loans have been secured	New York County National	3,714,900	862,600	The second of the country	4,823,800	50,000	26.8
4	by drawing foregin exchange, which is in	German-American		649,400	The state of the s	3,639,500	********	23.7
91	effect a short sale of exchange. The high	Chase National		9,632,900	El Carrier III Contract and	46,475,300	1,000,000	24.7
1	rate for time loans serves as an attraction	Fifth Avenue	8,876,300			9,714,400	*******	
	to foreign lenders. There have been very	German Exchange	2,548,100	145,000	725,000	3,280,800	********	26.5
4	large repayments of foreign borrowings	Germania	2,813,800	415,900	El Colombia Filocopia de	4,501,800	********	19.9
3	for some time, which are believed to have	Lincoln National		504,000	The second second		246,800	
П	been secured on very advantageous terms	Garfield National	7,299,700	1,495,300			49,700	
Ш	for employment in the stock market. Their	Fifth National	2,301,800	492,500	The second secon		193,000	
1	expiration was an important influence in	Metropolis		1,604,400			********	.25.5
1	the recent heavy liquidation in the stock	West Side		426,000	The base of the contract of			24.2
Ш	market. Some of these funds seems to	Seaboard National	11,303,000	2,085,000			50,000	25.9
П	have been reloaned during the past week	Western	36,554,100	8,096,500			(550,000)	
П	at the better terms now prevailing.	First National, Brooklyn		492,000			75,000	28.5
1	Operations in the stock market this week	Liberty National		1,524,400			498,009	
	have been confined to the testing efforts of	New York Produce Exchange		786,400	The second of the objects.		*******	25.2
2	the professional traders. Some attempt	New Amsterdam National		1,201,000			100,000	23.6
	was made to lift prices early in the week	Astor National		807,000	and the same of th			
	on the assumption that the Dec. 1 disburse-	National Bank of the U. S		903,400			460,000	23.5
	ments to the money market would relieve							
3	the tension there and afford resources for	Totals	\$881,437,000	\$162,620,800	\$67,293,600	\$879,762,600	\$45,506,600	26.2
	speculative operations, but as the week	20000 111111111111111111111111111111111	*1 611 000	**6.219.400	**611.700	**4,074,200	•73,800	**0.6
	progressed it was realized that whatever		1,011,000	0,220,200				

NEW YORK CLEARING-HOUSE BANKS.

	*Increase. deposits other 146,200 are incl	**Decrease. than United uded in the t	d States,	decr	tot al rea se	deposits, \$5,818,475.	United	States	deposits	of \$40,-	
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progressed it was realized that whatever	1 2/02/07/
relaxation there might be in the money	*Increase. **Decrease. Reserve on tot
	deposits other than United States, decrea
market was only temporary. The tighten-	146,200 are included in the total deposits.
ing process was manifest in the time-	140,200 are included in the total deposits.
money market, in which commissions were	
exacted for loans for the shorter periods	St. Paul pref
which raised the rate to the equivalent of	CONTRACTOR OF PROPERTY AND ADDRESS OF TAXABLE PROPERTY OF TAXABLE
7 per cent. The week passed without any	Southern Pacific 5,700 62% 62% 62% 52% Southern Railway 2,000 31% 31% 31%
export of gold to Europe, but \$1,000,000	Southern Railway pref 500 92% 91% 91%
went to South America to pay English ob-	TO THE RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY O
ligations there for wheat, and which is	
analogous to a remittance from here to	and the second of the second page 100 to
London direct. The Bank of England has	
given up large sums of gold also for ship-	Union Pacific pref 200 91% 91% 91%
	Wabash 100 28% 28% 28%
ment to South America, and it is thought	Wabash pref 100 42% 42% 42%
probable that further calls may be made	Wheel. & Lake Erie 200 231/2 23 23
on New York. The export of gold from	Wheel. & Lake Erie 2d 32%
New York, directly to Paris or London, is	Wisconsin Central 300 25% 25% 25%
believed to have been evaded only by a	Wisconsin Central pref 100 50% 50% 50%
large use of bankers' credit, by selling of	EXPRESS COMPANIES.
bills of exchange to be covered by pur-	
chases later. A short interest in sterling	
exchange of many millions of dollars is	United States 100 126¼ 126¼ 126
said to have been created in this way. The	The state of the s
London money market has grown easier	MISCELLANEOUS.
	Amalgamated Copper 7,800 57 56% 56%
under the influence of large government	Am. Car & Foundry 100 34% 34% 34%
disbursements and the payment on Monday	Am. Car & Foundry pref. 200 89 89 88%
to shareholders of the constituent com-	Amendada 7 feet Add
panies in the shipping combine so that	Amoutone Timened Oil and
large repayments have been made to the	American Loco 300 2734 2714 2714
Bank of England, which has left its	
minimum discount rate unchanged. Large	Am. Smelt. & Ref 400 38% 381/2 381/2
forces of depletion are at work, however,	Am. Smelt. & Ref. pref 300 901/2 901/4 901/4
on the bank's reserve, and an advance in	Anaconda Mining Co 85%
the bank rate is looked for before the end	Brooklyn Rapid Transit. 6,300 64% 64 64%
of the year, and such an advance may draw	Colorado Fuel & Iron 300 854 85 85
gold from Now York In Now York the	Consolidated Gas 300 211 211 211
gold from New York. In New York the	Continental Tob. pref 700 1161/2 1161/2 1161/2
banking reserves are suffering heavy de-	General Electric 177
pletion from domestic sources. Customs	Hocking Coal 200 1976 19 19%
collections continue to run very high and	International Paper 17%
demand payments to the subtreasury	International Paper pref!. 100 73 72 711/2
average \$700,000 daily. The return move-	Laclede Gas 80
	National Biscuit 45
ment of currency from the interior is also	National Lead 300 261/4 261/4 261/4
delayed and large remittances have been	North American
made to New Orleans. It is rumored also	Pacific Coast
in banking circles that loans made di-	Pacific Coast
rectly in the New York market by inter-	People's Gas 600 1011/4 1001/2 1001/2
ior banks before the crop moving demand	Pressed Steel Car 100 59 59 59
and while call money ruled high here have	Pressed Steel Car pref 92
	Pullman Palace Car 229
been withdrawn on a very large scale. The	Republic Steel 200 19% 19% 19%
result is to increase the demand on New	Republic Steel pref 100 77 77 77
York banks for loans, at the same time	The state of the s
that inroads are made on their cash re-	
serves. Importance is attached to the	Tinton D 6 D Co 1914
operations of the New York trust com-	ACCOUNT OF THE PERSON NAMED ACCOUNTS OF THE P
panies, which are not so obvious to the	The state of the s
public, owing to their exemption from the	
requirement of weekly reports of condition	U. S. Rubber 1614
to the clearing house. The ordinary bank-	U. S. Rubber pref 501/2
	United States Steel 400 361/6 361/6 361/6
ing and loan operations of these institu-	United States Steel pref 3,050 831/4 831/4 831/4
tions have grown on an enormous scale	Western Union 100 87% 87% 87%
during the year, and the approach of the	mark
year end brings incentives to strengthen	Total sales for the day164,500
their position. This process is likely to	*Offered.
throw an additional strain on the banks.	BONDS.
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organizations and combinations may figure	United States threes, reg107%
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9	tions have grown on an enormous scale	Western Union 100 87% 87% 87%
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a	throw an additional strain on the banks.	BONDS.
4	The extent to which flotation of various	United States refunding twos, reg
4	organizations and combinations may figure	United States refunding twos, coup
1	in the operations of the trust companies is	United States threes, reg
	a subject of much interested conjecture.	United States new fours, reg
1	The present slow market for new se-	United States new fours, coup
-1	curities adds to the importance of this	United States old fours, reg
e l	subject. Interior money rates continue	United States old fours, coup
1	high and the continuance of active trade	United States fives, reg
a	at a high level of prices maintains the de-	United States fives, coup
4	mand for credits throughout the country.	Atchison adjustment fours 90%
	The possibility of a year-end money squeeze	Baitimore & Ohio fours
1	has been the dominant factor in repressing	Baltimore & Ohio three-and-a-halfs 9432
3	all activity in the stock market, and finan-	Baltimore & Ohio conv. fours1041/2
1	cial powers are united in frowning on spec-	Canada Southern seconds107%
	ulative use of resources, which evidently	Central of Georgia fives
1	will be needed for more essential purposes.	Central of Georgia 1st inc
3	There are elements in the trade situation	Chicago & Alton three-and-a-halfs
a	as well, the definite outcome of which it	Chi., Bur. & Quincy new fours 95%
1	is desired to await. The advancing ten-	Chi., Mil. & St. P. general fours
9	dency of wages of railroad employes and	Chi. & Northwest, consol, sevens
	the raising of transportation rates as a	Chi., R. I. & Pac. fours
	set-off is extending over the breadth of the	C., C., C. & St. L. general fours 99%
	continent. The effects on railroad net earn-	Chicago Terminal fours
1	ings, on volume of freight, on cost of ma-	Con. Tobacco fours
4	terial transported and on final demand for	Denver & Rio Grande fours101
3	consumption must be readjusted. In the	Erie prior lien fours
1	iron trade also authorities report a general	Erie general fours
4	tendency rather downward and the holding	Ft. Worth & Denver City 1st
1	back of some work because buyers and	Hocking Valley four-and-a-halfs
3	the cost too high, the more so as pregent	Louisville & Nashville unified fours
3	stocks of material are exhausted. The of-	Mexican Central 1st inc
1	forts of professional traders to awaken	Minn. & St. Louis fours
	speculation on the score of the President's	Missouri, Kansas & Texas fours 9814
1	message and governmental affairs mat	Missouri, Kansas & Texas seconds 82
	with little outside response. Some appre-	New York Central 1sts10214
4	nension has been expressed that discussion	New York Central general three-and-a-halfs. 10612 New Jersey Central general fives
1	of currency changes would cause uneget	Northern Pacific fours
1	ness among the foreign creditors of the	Northern Pacific threes
3	country and help to unsettle the year-and	Norfolk & Western consol. fours100%
П	arrangements with them. The renewed de	Reading general fours
1	cline in silver and a firmer tone for conner	St. Louis & Iron Mountain consol. fives 114
	have been incidential influences upon se-	St. Louis & San Francisco fours 97
1	curities.	St. Louis Southwestern 1sts 95%
,	The undertone of the bond market has	St. Louis Southwestern seconds
	been depressed in sympathy with stocks	Southern Pacific fours 91
	United States threes, coupon declined to	Southern Railway fives
	per cent., as compared with the closing call	Texas & Pacific 1sts
	or last week.	Tol., St. L. & Western fours
1	Following are Saturday's share sales and	Union Pacific fours
4	the recorded price changes:	Wabash 1sts
	PAU POADS High- Low- Closing	Wahash seconds108
	RAILROADS Sales, est, out hid	Wahash deb. B 751/4
	Atchison 6.400 99 918/ 917/	West Shore fours112
3	Atchison pref 100 9816 9816 9816 9816	West Shore fours

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Sales on the Stock Exchange-Satur-

day's Changes in Prices.

sales reported at the	Stock	Exc	hang	e o
Saturday. The Federal	Unio	n blo	ck pa	sse
into the hands of A.	J.	Brunt	t ("T	Incl
Jack"), of Anderson.	Sati	rday	'e 'm	inte
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tions follow:	79			
BIOCE			100	
	Bid.		Ask	
Close.	Low.	High.	Open.(
Am. Nat. Bank136	136	****	140	**
Am. Cent. Life Ins., 89	89	****	****	**
Atlas E. W. pref 1071/2	1071/	****		**
Belt R. R. com 1061/2	1061/2	****	10814	**
Belt R. R. pref	1541/6	****	138	***
Capital Nat. Bank 154%		****	162	**
Central Trust Co127 Climax C. &. B. P	126	****	127	**
Columbia Nat. Bank.100	100	****	107	106
Columbia Mat. Daniel 600	400	500	675	-510
Con. Gas. T. Co600	*00	A-717	101	**
Fed. Union Surety200	200	****	205	**
Indiana Hotel pref 95	95	****	100	
Indiana Mea Co 100	100	****	120	
Indiana Mfg. Co100 Indiana Nat. Bank225	225		140	**
Ind. T., G. & L 80	8214	85	85	
Indiana Trust153	153		156	
Indianapolis Gas 30	50	****	75	
Ind I. & P. Co 180	150	****	****	
Indianapolis St. Ry., 83	87	****	95	
Ind Fire Ins. Co149	140	141	145	144
T. T B. Mrf. pref. 100	100	****		**
Law Building or	80	81	85	. 83
Marion Trust224	220	223	227	200
Merchants' Nat. B190	190	22.**	197	**
New Telephone 80	80	81	85	- 11
New TelLong D 60	109	****	64	62
People's Dep. Bank 109	100	****	****	**
Polk, J. T. Co. pref100	105	****	****	. **
Rauh Fertilizer105	103	****	10716	**
Security Trust 225	225	****		**
Union Trust	50	****	55	**
Union Traction pref. 90	90		95	
Wasson pref1041/2	10436		-	***
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	The same of			
Broad Ripple fives \$2	82	****	****	
Citizens' St. R. fives. 109%	10814	****	11014	

10316 ... 105 100 ... 102 93 New Tel 1st fives 931/2 New Tel. 2d fives 81 Union Traction fives.. 99 Chicago Stocks.

[Granger Farwell & Co.'s Telegram.] Open- High- Low- Clos-ing. est. est. ing. MONETARY.

Rates on Loans and Exchange-Clearings and Balances.

INDIANAPOLIS.-Commercial paper, 4@6 per cent.; time loans, 5@6 per cent. Clearings, \$2,290,753.56; balances, \$404,200.31. NEW YORK .- Call money firm at 6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady; actual business in bankers' bills, \$4.87.25@4.87.375 for demand. \$4.83.50@4.83.625 for 60 days; posted rates, \$4.84.50 and \$4.88; commercial bills, \$4.82.375@ 4.83.25. Clearings, \$233,014,255; balances, \$11.-

CHICAGO.-New York exchange, 10c premium. Sterling exchange, \$4.821/2 for 60 days, \$4.88 for demand. Clearings, \$25,860,061; balances, \$1,917,921. BOSTON.-Clearings, \$21,049,452; balances,

PHILADELPHIA.-Money, 6 per cent Clearings, \$18,834,088; balances, \$2,721,276. ST. LOUIS.-Money steady at 5@6 per cent. New York exchange, 25c premium. Clearings, \$6,621,260; balances, \$433,853. BALTIMORE!—Money, 6 per cent. Clearings, \$3,519,103; balances, \$415,915. CINCINNATI.-Money, 5@6 per cent. New York exchange, 10c premium. Clearings,

Money Rates Abroad.

LONDON.-Money, 3@31/2 per cent.; discounts, 3%@3 15-16 and 3 13-16@37/2. Consols, PARIS.-Three per cent. rentes, 90f 65c for the account. Exchange on London. 25f 1416c for checks. BERLIN.-Exchange on London, 20n

45%pf for checks.

Specie and Merchandise Movement. NEW YORK .- Imports of dry goods and merchandise at the port of New York for the week were valued at \$11,691,267. Imports of specie were \$51,339 in silver and \$65,613 in gold. Exports of specie were \$1,010,500 in gold and \$924,228 in silver.

Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON. - Saturday's statement of the treasury balances in the general

NEW YORK.-Bar silver, 47%c; Mexican dollars, 374c.

LONDON.-Silver bars steady at 22 1-

Less Than Was Expected. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.-The statement of

Loans, increase\$1,611,000 Deposits, decrease 4,074,200 Circulation, increase 73,800 Legal tenders, decrease 611,700 Specie, decrease 6,219,400

The banks now hold \$9,973,750 in excess of reserve requirements under the 25 per cent. rule; ex. U. S. deposits, \$20,010,300. The Fnancier says: "The official state-

last week showed the large loss of loss of large loss of loss of large large loss of large loss Fifty shares of Federal Union Surety the traceable movements of money during stock at 101 and ten Indiana Title & the week. The loss was largely in specie. the reduction in legal tenders was \$611,700. reported at the Stock Exchange on The loans were increased only \$1,611,000, indicating that there must have been considerable contraction as the result of disbursement of funds for the December settlements, the loaning of which money largely contributed to the expansion of this item as shown in the statement of the previous week. Deposits decreased \$4,074,200, or \$1,145,-900 below the amount called for by the decrease in cash, less the increase in loans; therefore, the statement was technically out of proof. The required reserve was reduced by \$1,018,550, through the decrease in deposits. Deducting this sum from the loss in cash leaves \$5,812,350 as the decrease in surplus reserve. This item now is \$9,973,-750, against \$6,607,675 at the corresponding date last year. Computing the surplus on the basis of deposits, less \$40,146,200 of those of the government, it is \$20,010,300, a decrease, compared with the previous week, of \$5,818,475. The circulation was increased \$73,800, following a gain in the previous week of \$65,100. The average daily clearings for the week were \$245,000,000, or \$28,-000,000 less than those in the previous week."

GRAINS ARE IRREGULAR

WHEAT CLOSES AT A SMALL LOSS, WITH CORN UNCHANGED.

Oats Are Firm and Higher and Hog

Products Lower-Latter Market

Without Special Feature.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6 .- The grain and provision markets were again rather dull today, and wheat, after ruling firm most of the day, weakened, the close on May being 1/sc lower. Corn closed unchanged and oats were 4c higher. January provisions closed from 10@124c to 15c lower.

Higher cables imparted strength to wheat at the opening and the advance was well maintained the greater part of the day, but on liquidation by a prominent long weakness developed late in the day, and the close was a trifle under yesterday's final figures. The strength of foreign markets was a noticeable feature, the cause being attributed to the closing of navigation on the Danube, which shut off the shipments from Roumania. Buying for Northwestern account was somewhat of a feature, and a good demand also was a strengthening feature. The volume of business was small. May opened 1/21/4c higher at 751/2075%c and after selling off to 75%c early there was a rally, but toward the end of the session another break occurred, the price dropping to 751c. The close was 1/sc lower at 751/4c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 568,000 bu. Primary receipts were 949,300 bu, against 929,800 bu a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 828 cars, which, with local receipts of 57 cars, two of contract grade, made a total of 885 cars, against 1,107 last week and 764 a year

Corn ruled dull, the fear of manipulation in the December option detaining traders from doing much. December was strong at the opening, but realizing sales carried values down and in sympathy with the late weakness in wheat, the close was easier, while May was unchanged at 43\4@ 43\%c, after selling between 43\%c and 43\%@ 43\%c. Receipts were 172 cars, eight of con-

There was a more active demand for the principal buyers. Offerings were limited, however, and the market had a firm | @11; praifie, \$10. Receipts of wheat, 54 cars.

the weaker feeling. Trading was only moderate and without any special features.

January pork closed 15c lower, at \$16.30; lard was down 15c at \$9.75, and ribs 10@ 121/2c lower, at \$8.25@8.271/2. Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 55 cars; corn, 125; cats, 206; hogs, 46,000

neau.				
Leading	futures	range	d as foll	ows:
Articles. Wheat— Dec	Open- ing. 72%-72% 75%-75%			-
May July	7314	731/4	7254	72%
Corn-				200
Dec	541/2	5516	54%	55
Jan	47%	47%	47%-	
May	43%-43%	43%-4	31/2 431/6	431/4-
Oats-				
Dec	31	31%	31	31%
May	3214-3214	3276	321/4-	32% 32%
Pork-				
Jan\$16		16.321/2	\$16.25	\$16.30
May 13	5.25	15.30	15.20	15.221/2
Lard-			-100	1000
Dec 10	0.47%	10.523/2	10.45	10.45
Jan 9	0.75	9.821/2	9.75	9.75
May 1	8.95	8.971/2	8.95	8.95
Ribs-				
	8.30	8.321/2	8.25	8.271/2
May !	8.15	8.171/2	8.10	8.121/2

winter patents, \$3.40@3.50; straights, \$3.10@3.30; spring patents, \$3.40@3.70; straights, \$2.90@3.20; spring patents, \$3.40@3.70; straights, \$2.90@3.20; bakers', \$2.25@2.70. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 74½@75¼c; No. 3, 70@72c; No. 2 red, 74c. Corn—No. 2, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 55½c. Oats—No. 2, 30½@31c; No. 3 white, 32@35c. No. 2 rye, 49@50c. Barley—Good feeding, 36@59c; fair to choice malting, 46@58c. Flaxseed—No. 1, \$1.14; No. 1 Northwestern, \$1.20. Prime timothy seed, \$3.65. Clover—Contract grade, \$10.85. Mess pork, per brl, \$16.75. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$10.75. Short rib sides (loose), \$8.50@9. Dry-salted shoulders (boxed), \$8.87½@9. Short clear sides (boxed), \$8.75@9. Whisky—Basis of high wines, \$1.32. Basis of high wines, \$1.32.

Receipts—Flour, 15,300 brls; wheat, 58,500 bu; corn, 124,200 bu; oats, 277,000 bu; rye, 12,600 bu;

barley, 81,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 13,200 bris; wheat, 66,600 bu; corn, 218,200 bu; oats, 453,900 bu; rye, 7,000 bu; barley, 16,200 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Firmer Tone in Grains, Flour Remaining Steady-General List Firm. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.-Flour-Receipts, 21,-600 bris; exports, 1,015 bris; dull but steady; winter patents, \$3.60@3.90; winter straights, \$3.45@3.55; Minneapolis patents, \$3.90@4.15; winter extras, \$2.80@3.10; Minneapolis bakers, \$3.20@3.35; winter low grades, \$2.65@ \$2.80. Rye flour steady; fair to good, \$3.05@ 3.40; choice to fancy, \$3.50@3.55. Buckwheat flour quiet at \$2.30@3.35, spot and to arrive. Corn meal quiet; yellow Western, \$1.24; city, \$1.22: Brandywine, \$3.40@3.55. Rye steady; No. 2 Western, 58e f. o. b. afloat; No. 2,

841/c f. o. b. afloat. Options were quiet, but generally firm most of the session, reflecting higher cables, reported freezing of the age in the Southwest by cold weather, and weekly bank statement.

Weekly bank statement.

Heavy Loss of Cash, but Somewhat

Less Than Was Expected.

age in the Southwest by cold weather, and covering, closed steady and unchanged to '4c net higher: May, 79%679 9-16, closed at 75%c; December, 801/40801/2c, closed at 80%c. Corn—Receipts, 52,000 bu; exports, 540 bu. Spot steady; No. 2, 64c elevator, 64c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 66c; No. 2 white, 67c. Options were steadier, but very quiet, the bull impulse being wheat firmness, light contract arrivals and moderate covering; averages of the clearing house banks of closed steady, with December up %c and this city for the week shows the following changes:

May, 48%@487-16, closed at 48%c; December,

61%@61%c, closed at 61%c. Oats—Receipts, 115,500 bu; exports, 100 bu. Spot steady; No. 2, 36%c; standard white, 37%@37%c; No. 3, 35%c; No. 2 white, 37%@37%c; No. 3 white, 37@37%c; track white, 37@42c. Options dull and fairly steady: May, 37%c, closed at 37%c; December closed at 38%c. Hay quiet; shipping, 55@70c; good choice 95@\$1.

Hops firm; State, common to choice, 1902, 29@38c; 1901, 24@28c; old, 7@124c; Pacific coast, 1902, 26@32c; 1901, 23@27c; old, 7@124c. Hides steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs, 18c California, 21 to 25 lbs, 19c; Texas dry, 24 to ment of the New York associated banks 30 lbs, 14c. Leather steady; acid, 24@25 last week showed the large loss of \$6,831,- | Beef dull; family, \$16@18; mess, \$10.50@11; Western steamed, \$11.30; refined easy; con-tinental, \$11.50; South American, \$11.75; com-pound, \$7.50@7.75. Pork quiet; family, \$18.50 lower at \$4.60. @19; short-clear, \$21@23; mess, \$18@18.50. Tallow quiet; city, 6c; country, 64@6%c. Cotton-seed oil steady; prime crude nominal; prime yellow, 36@36%c.

Rice firm; domestic, fair to extra, 4%@
6%c; Japan, 4%@5%c, nominal. Molasses

firmer; New Orleans open kettle, good to Worsted yarns firm with fair demand. Woolen choice, 30@40c. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked, 4%@5c; other domestic, 34@5%c. Cabbage steady; domestic, per 100, white, \$1.50@2.50; red, \$1.50@3. Coffee-Spot Rio quiet. Sugar-Raw firm; molasses sugar, 33-160

21/4c; refined firm; No. 6, 4.45c; No. 7, 4.40c; No. 8, 4.35c; No. 9, 4.30c; No. 10, 4.25c; No. 11, 4.20c; No. 12, 4.15c; No. 13, 4.10c; No. 14, 4.05c; confectioners' A, 4.70c; mold A, 5.10c; cutloaf, 5.45c; crushed, 5.45c; powdered, 4.95c; granulated, 4.85c; cubes, 5.10c.

TRADE IN GENERAL

Quotations at St. Louis, Baltimore. Cincinnati and Other Places.

Purely a Traders' Market.

[Granger Farwell & Co.'s Telegram.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The market at the opening to-day was dull, and transactions very light. Traders left the market alone and there was little or no commission business. The bank statement was really better than expected and although a poor one, did not have much effect, and before the close the market was steadier, but dull. No particular activity is to be expected until after the first of the year, and a traders' market is to be looked for. Money continues scarce.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—Flour firm; red winter patents, \$3.30G2.35; axtra fancy and straights, \$33G2.25; cash, 45G; Meat easy; No. 2 read, 45G; May, 32G; May,

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ceipts—Flour, 5,000 bris; wheat, 34,000 bu; corn, 120,000 bu; oats, 29,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 10,400 bris; wheat, 66,000 bu; corn, 21,000 bu; oats,

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 6.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 Western winter, 5s 10d; No. 1 northern spring, no stock; No. 1 California, 6s 7½d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, 5s 4½d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter quiet at 8s 3d. Hops—At London (Pacific coast) firm at £6 15s@£7. Beef strong; extra India mess, 115s. Pork strong; prime mess Western, 95s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 1bs., quiet at 54s 6d. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 1bs, quiet at 48s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 1bs, quiet at 54s; long clear middles light, 28 to 34 1bs, quiet at 54s; long clear middles heavy, 35 to 40 1bs, dull at 54s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 1bs, quiet at 56s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 1bs, quiet at 63s. Shoulders—Square, 11 to 15 1bs, duil at 46s. Lard—Prime Western, in therees, firm at 59s; American refined, in palls, firm at 60s 6d. Butter nominal. Cheese strong; American finest white and colored, 59s. Tallow—Prime city steady at 28s 6d; Australian, in London, firm at 34s 3d.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 6.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat easy; spot and December, 744.69 7414c; January, 754.6755c; May, 754.6 asked; steamer, No. 2 red, 716/714c; Southern by sample, 664.67744c; Southern on grade, 714.6744c. Corn firm; spot, old, 564.6564c; new, 544c; year, 524.69 534c; January, 494.6454c; February, 496.694.6; March, 484c; steamer mixed, 514.652c; Southern white and yellow corn, new, 466.544c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 376/274c; No. 2 mixed, 354.636c. Ryedull and easy; No. 2, 556.554c; No. 2 Western, 566.6564c. Sugar firm; fine and coarse granulated, LOUISVILLE, Dec. 6.—Wheat—No. 2 red and LOUISVILLE, Dec. 6.—Wheat—No. 2 red and longberry, 74c; No. 3 red and longberry, 72c, Apples—Sun-dried, 4644/c per lb for bright. Feaches, 24/63c. Beans—Northern hand-picked, \$2.50 per bu. Hay—Choice, in car lots, on track, \$15; clover, \$10@11. Straw, \$4.50. Clean ginseng, \$464.25 per lb. Potatoes, \$1.50@1.65 per bri; Northern potatoes, £8650c per bu. Onlons, \$26, 2.25 per bri. New cabbage, 60c per bri. Peppers, \$2 per crate.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 6.—Close: Wheat—December, 63%c; May, 69%c; cash, No. 2 hard, 66c; No. 3, 63@65%c; No. 2 red, 66c; No. 3, 65c. Corn—December, 39%@39%c; May, 37%c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 40%c; No. 2 white, 40%@40%c; No. 3, 39%c. Oats—No. 2 white, 33%@34c; No. 2 mixed, 32@33c. Rye—No. 2, 45@46c. Hay—Choice timothy, 310.50 tone, the close being strong and 4c higher on May at 32%c. The range on that option for the day was between 32½@32%c and 32%c. Receipts were 181 cars.

Provisions were weaker, general liquidation all along the line being responsible for the weaker feeling. Trading was only CINCINNATI, Dec. 6.—Flour steady. Wheat firm; No. 2 red. 77@77½c. Corn firmer; No. 2 mixed, 46c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 34c. Rye firmer; No. 2, 53c. Lard steady at \$10.37½. Bulkmeats firm at \$10.25. Bacon steady at \$12.25. Whisky steady at \$1.32. Sugar steady. DULUTH, Dec. 6.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 72c; No. 2 northern, 69c. To arrive, No. 1 northern, December, 71c; May, 74½c. Oats—December, 31½c; May, 33c; on track and to arrive,

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—Wheat—December, 72½c; May, 73½c; on track, No. 1 hard, 74½c; No. 1 northern, 73½c; No. 2 northern, 72½c.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Butter—Receipts, 3,303 packages; the market was firm; State dairy, 200 packages; the market was firm; State dairy, 200 27c; extra creamery, 29c; creamery, common to choice, 20@28c. Cheese—Receipts, 3,626 packages; the market was firm; State full cream, small colored, fancy September, 13¼@13½c; late make, 12½@13c; small white September, 13¼@13½c; late make, 12½@13c; large colored September, 13½c; late make, 12½@13c; large colored September, 13¼@13½c; late make, 12½@13c. Eggs—Receipts, 5,298 packages; the market was firm; State and Pennsylvania, average best, 28@29c; Western and Pennsylvania, average best, 28@29c; Western fancy graded, 26@27c; Western poor to prime, 20@25c; refrigerated, 18@21c.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—Butter firmer; extra Western creamery, 29½c; extra near-by prints, 31c. Eggs dull and unsettled; fresh near-by, 26c at the mark; fresh Western, 26c, loss off; fresh Southwestern, 24@25c, loss off; fresh Southern, 23c, loss off. Cheese quiet but firm; New York prime small, 13½c; New York fair small, 12½@13½c; New York prime large, 12½c; New York fair to good large, 12½@13c. BALTIMORE, Dec. 6.—Butter firm; fancy imitation, 21@23c; fancy creamery, 29@29%c; fancy ladle, 20@22c; fancy roll, 19@22c; good roll, 17@18c; store packed, 16@18c. Eggs firm; fresh, 26@27c. Cheese firm; large, 18%@18%c; medium, 13%@13%c; small, 18%@12%c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was quiet; creamery, 18@25c; dairy, 17@24c. Eggs steady, 24c, loss off, cases returned. Cheese quiet at 114@12c. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 6.—Eggs firm; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, 21c, loss off, cases returned; No. 2, whitewood cases included, 23c. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—Butter steady; creamery 23@29c; dairy, 18@23c. Eggs lower at 21c, loss of LOUISVILLE, Dec. 6.—Butter—Common and medium, 15@17c per lb; good, 18@20c. Eggs, 21c. CINCINNATI, Dec. 6.—Eggs firm, 21@23c. But-ter steady. Choese steady; Ohio flat, 12%c. BOSTON, Dec. 6.-[Special.]-Eggs firm; fresh, 28c; cold storage, 201/20.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Petroleum firm; refined New York, \$.05c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, &c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, 5.45c. Rosin steady; strained common to good, \$1.75@ 1.77%. Spirits turpentine quiet at \$3@55%c. COLUMBUS, Dec. 6.—The price of crude oil was advanced 3c again to-day, making North Lime \$1.09 South Lima and Indiana, \$1.04. It is expected that the price will go to \$1.25 for Ohio SAVANNAH, Dec. 6.—Turpentine firm at 50c. Rosin firm; A. B. C. D. \$1.40; E. \$1.45; F. \$1.50; G. \$1.65; H. \$1.80; I, \$2.05; K. \$2.55; M. \$3; N. \$3.50; window glass, \$3.75; water white, \$4.15.

OIL CITY, Dec. 6.—Credit balances, \$1.48; cer-tificates, no sales. Shipments, 110,668 bris; aver-age, 15,943 bris; runs, 69,071 bris; average, 86,416 wifirm most of the session, reflect-er cables, reported freezing of the some talk of winter wheat dam-wifirm at \$1.75 to \$3. Tar firm at \$1.56.

MONTPELIER, Dec. 6.—Crude petroleum stronger; North Lima, \$1.09; South Lima and Indiana, \$1.04. CHARLESTON, Dec. 6 .- Turpentine and rosin unchanged.

Poultry.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Poultry—Alive, nominal; dressed steady; Western chickens, 12@13½c; Western fowls, 11@12½c; Western turkeys, 13@16c. LOUISVILLE, Dec. 6.—Hens, 10c per lb; dressed hens, 12@13c; spring chickens, 10c; tur-keys, 10c; dressed turkeys, 12@13c. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.-Poultry quiet; chickens, 3c; springs, 9@10c; turkeys, 10@11c; ducks, 12%c; BOSTON, Dec. 6 .- [Special.]-Poultry firm; fowls, 13c; springs, 14@lic; turkeys, 17c. CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Dressed poultry steady; turkeys, 11@13c; chickens, 10%@11%c. CINCINNATI, Dec. 6 .- Poultry quiet; hens, 10c; springs, 10@12c; turkeys, 10c.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Quiet markets were ex-perienced in all metals to-day, the prices show-ing no quotable change. Tin maintained a steady undertone, spot closing at \$24.79@24.80. Copper was more or less nominal and very dull. Standard was quoted at \$10.75; lake, \$11.65; electrolytic and casting, \$11.45. The feeling in the lead market was steady and spot prices remained at \$4.12%. Spelter showed a declining tendency, closing easy and nominat at \$5.10 for spot. Iron nominal but ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6 .- Lead steady at \$4. Spelter

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The week in dry goods closed without new features in the market here in any line of cotton goods. Print cloths quiet but steady. Cotton yarns dull but fairly steady.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—Wool strong; medium grades and combing, 16620c; light fine, 136184c; heavy fine, 11@15c; tub washed, 17@28%c. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.-Wool firm; domestic

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—Cotton—Spot quiet; sales, 1.750 bales; ordinary, 5%c; good ordinary, 7%c; low middling, 7.7-16c; middling, 7.15-16c; good middling, 8%c; middling fair, 9.1-16c, Receipts, 11,133 bales; stock, 374,187 bales.

WANDERERS RETURN.

Putnam Bradlee Strong and May Yoho Arrive at New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7 .- Among the pas-

sengers who arrived to-day on the steamer Umbria from Liverpool and Queenstown were Mr. and Mrs. Putnam Bradlee Strong. Strong refused to say anything about his past or future movements.

Mrs. John Dillon, who comes to see her husband, the Irish member of Parliament, who has been ill at Chicago, was also a